



## Agromet Advisory Bulletin

Date : 2025-10-17

Weather Forecast of District GAJAPATI (Odisha) Issued On : 2025-10-17 (Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next 5 days)

Parameter	2025-10-18	2025-10-19	2025-10-20	2025-10-21	2025-10-22
Rainfall(mm)	0.0	3.0	7.0	8.0	5.0
Tmax(°C)	34.0	34.0	33.0	33.0	33.0
Tmin(°C)	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	22.0
RH-I(%)	94	93	96	95	96
RH-II(%)	54	59	61	64	62
Wind Speed(kmph)	3	3	3	4	3
Wind Direction(Degree)	6	90	14	24	27
Cloud Cover(Octa)	2	3	5	5	3
Warning	No Warning	No Warning	Thunderstorms & Lightning, Squall etc; Strong Surface Winds	Thunderstorms & Lightning, Squall etc; Strong Surface Winds	No Warning

### Forecast Summary:

According to the weather forecast received from India Meteorological Department, the district is likely to dry on Friday and thereafter may receive very light to light rain up to Tuesday with mainly clear to generally cloudy sky. The wind speed is likely to remain within 03.0 to 04.0 kmph for the next five days. The daily maximum and minimum temperature may range between 33.0°C to 34.0°C and 22.0°C to 23.0°C respectively. Relative humidity during the morning and the afternoon may range between 93 to 96 percent and 54 to 64 percent respectively.

### Weather Warnings (Valid Till 08:30 IST of the next day)

No warning

### Likely impacts of weather warnings on Agriculture and associated Agromet advisories

No impact

### General Advisory:

The mean maximum daily temperature was 33.9°C and the mean minimum daily temperature was 23.3°C of the Gajapati district during the last week. The district received 29.0 mm of rainfall during the last week. Maintain about 5-10cm standing water during panicle initiation stage in Paddy. Make necessary drainage arrangement to drain out excess water from paddy, non-paddy fields and vegetable nursery. Remove the weeds and keep the field clean. To manage BPH and WBPH in paddy avoid excess use of nitrogenous fertilizer. Farmers are advised to grow short duration pre rabi crops like Amaranthus, Ragi, Horse gram, Green gram, Black gram, Cowpea, Sweet potato and Sesame in upland/medium lands utilizing the available soil moisture in the field. There are chances of damping of disease in

vegetable nursery. To manage it drench nursery bed with 2-gram Captan/litre of water or 2.5-gram Copper Oxychloride/litre of water. If the wooden support or trellis of the Creeper vegetables has fallen due to heavy rain then keep it upright.

### SMS Advisory:

For monitoring of sucking pests, fruit fly and borer insect in vegetables farmers are advised to use pheromone trap @ 8 nos./acre.

### Crop Specific Advisory:

Crop (Stage)	Crop Specific Advisory
RICE (Soft Dough)	The present high humid weather condition and rainfall followed by clear sky is favourable for Brown Plant Hopper (BPH) and White Backed Plant Hopper (WBPH) infestation in paddy. To manage BPH and WBPH in paddy avoid excess use of nitrogenous fertilizer. Do not keep standing water in the field for longer period. Alter the micro-climate of the rice field by alternate wetting and drying technique. Make alleys at 6 feet spacing for sunlight entry and proper aeration below the crop zone. If infestation of BPH occur (5-10 hoppers/hill), spray Neem Based Pesticide 1500 PPM @ 600-ml/acre at the base of the plant. If problem persists, spray Pymetrozine 50% WG @ 120 g/acre or Dinotefuran 20 % SG @ 80 g/acre or Flonicamid 50 % WG @ 60-gram/acre or Triflumezopyrim 10% SC @ 100 ml / acre at the base of the plant. Use only pesticides recommended for brown plant hopper at recommended dose only. If the Bacterial Leaf Blight disease incidence seen, then drain out water from the paddy field. Remove the weeds and keep the field clean. Avoid excess use of "Nitrogenous" Fertilizer. Apply MOP @ 6-8kg/acre. To manage this disease organically mix 20-kg of fresh cow dung with 200 litres of water. Filter it with fine cloth and spray the solution in one acre. To manage this disease chemically, spray Copper Hydroxide 53.8% DF @ 600-gram/acre or 200-gram Plantomycin along with Copper Oxy Chloride 50% WP @ 600-gram/acre. After receding of rain water there is chance of infestation Swarming Caterpillar in paddy. To manage this spray Chlorpyrifos 50 % + Cypermethrin 5 % EC @ 400-ml/acre or Lambda-cyhalothrin @ 400-ml/acre. As the pest is nocturnal in behaviour spraying of pesticide should be done in the evening hours for better result.
COTTON (Flowering)	Due to high temperature and humidity, there are reports of incidence of sucking pest like Aphids and Jassids in Cotton crop. Go for regular monitoring of the crop for incidence of pest and diseases. If there is infestation of sucking pest like Aphids and Jassids cotton crop go for spraying of neem-based pesticide (Neem Oil 1500 PPM) @600-ml/acre by mixing it in 200-litre of water. Use yellow sticky trap @ 8/acre. If the sucking pest population found to be above ETL, spray Flonicamid 50% WG @ 60-gram/acre or Thiamethoxam 25% WG @ 40-gram /acre or Dinotefuran 20 % SG @ 80-gram/ acre. For Bollworm control apply Emamectin benzoate @ 80 gm/acre or Spinosad 60 ml/acre or Flubendiamide @ 80 ml/acre by mixing with 200 lit of water.

### Horticulture Specific Advisory:

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BRINJAL (Fruit Maturity)	Brinjal is at flowering to fruiting stage. After receding of rainfall and there is chance of increasing in day & night temperature and morning relative humidity more than 70% favours Shoot and fruit borer in Brinjal. To manage the pest, remove the affected terminal shoot showing bore holes and the affected fruits. To manage this insect, install 8 nos. of pheromone trap having Leucin Lure per acre. Use chemical control if there is 4% withering of terminal shoot or 14% fruits infested with borers. For chemical control spray Emamectin Benzoate 5% SG @ 80-gram/ acre or Chlorantraniliprole 18.5 % SC @80-ml/acre or Spinetoram 11.7 % SC @ 200-ml /acre. There should be a gap of 7-10 days between pesticide application and harvest. Use any of the above insecticides alternately at 15-days interval.

Horticulture (Stage)	Horticulture Specific Advisory
FRENCH BEAN (Pod Maturity)	To manage Pod borer in beans spray Emamectin Benzoate 5% SG @ 90-gram/ acre or Chlorantraniliprole 18.5 % SC @ 60-ml/acre or Flubendiamide 39.35 SC @ 40-ml/acre.

#### Live Stock Specific Advisory:

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COW	If your domestic Animal is becoming off feed, weak, lackluster, diarrhoea, Milk production is low, dryness in eyes and appearance of bottleneck condition, there is every possibility of its being suffering from Parasitic infestation. These worms or Parasites reduce the vitality and productivity of the animals. Hence, the farmers are advised to make fecal sample examination of their animals at regular interval at the nearest LAC, Veterinary Dispensary.

#### Fisheries Specific Advisory:

Fisheries	Fisheries Specific Advisory
FRESH WATER	When there is a lack of oxygen in the pond, the fish will come up to the surface water and start gulping through their mouths. The ideal dissolved oxygen is about 5mg/l. This can be maintained by using aerator. A simple way of aeration is to circulate the pond water. It can be done using a pump which can take water from the lower surface of the pond and splash it into the same pond.

#### Others (Soil / Land Preparation) Specific Advisory:

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PLANT PROTECTION	To manage the vectors of the yellow vein mosaic disease, install 8-10 Nos of Yellow sticky traps starting from 10-12 DAS. In case of severe infestation spray Thiamethoxam 25 % WG @ 40-gram/acre or Acetamiprid 20 % SP @ 50-gram/acre by mixing it in 200-litre of water.

#### Likely impacts of weather warnings (General)

No warning
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#### Impact based advisories (General)

No impact
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Farmers are advised to download Unified "Mausam" and "Meghdoot" android application on mobile for Weather forecast and weather based Agromet Advisories and "Damini" android application for forecast of Thunderstorm and lightening.

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